

Random Notes in Washington:

A Few Tax Riddles

Colonel Glenn's claim for flight pay for his mission raised tax questions about him and other men in the news. Will Francis Gary Powers, the U.S. pilot who spent more than eighteen months in Russian jails, be taxed for the more than \$50,000 in back pay due him?

Did Rudolf Abel, the ex-changed Soviet spy, get the customary alien's tax clearance from the Internal Revenue Service before he was allowed out of the country?